

REMARKS

The Examiner's allowance of claims 42-45 is noted with appreciation.

Claims 46 and 47 have been amended respectively to recite the planting structure and the use thereof in plant seeds referred to in the Response to Arguments on page 3 of the Office Action. This amendment, which does not raise new issues since the planting structure limitation has already been presented in the pending allowed claims, is submitted to place the application in condition for allowance.

Applicant intends to file a Divisional Application on cancelled claims 48 and 49.

Early allowance of the claims as amended is respectfully requested.

To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (1312.35259CC2) and please credit any excess fees to such Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTONELLI, TERRY, STOUT & KRAUS, LLP



Donald E. Stout
Registration No. 26,422
(703) 312-6600

DES:dlh